

THE WORLD OVER

PREDICT RETURN TO GOLD

LONDON—Return to the gold standard sometime in the future was predicted Tuesday night by Neville Chamberlain, Chancellor of the Exchequer, at the annual bankers' dinner given by the Lord Mayor of London and attended by Mayor McGee of Vancouver.

REGISTRATION TOTAL 375,000

EDMONTON—Work is pushing on with all reasonable speed in the tabulation of registrations of individuals for participation in the Alberta program of Social Credit. Hon. E.C. Manning, Minister of Trade and Commerce declared that no definite figures have been obtained, but estimates made in other centres indicate that the total will run to 375,000.

NEW LEADER ARABIA REBELS

JERUSALEM—A new leader, Fawzi al-Kawakibi, has arisen for Arab rebels in Palestine and has planned his standard in the Tulkarm hills. Reports said by Al Aasi, another Syrian insurgent leader, was hastening to arouse force Bedouin tribes to revolt.

DATE BUREAU OPENS AGAIN

The date bureau sponsored by the Varsity undergraduate newspaper of the University of Toronto, opened for its third successive year Tuesday when a dozen applications for dates were turned over to "Mr. X," anonymous student manager of the bureau. Between 40 and 60 applications will be handled daily as soon as the football season gets under way, according to the student manager.

PREDICT CUT IN CARRYOVER

An estimate by the London Times that Canada will have exported about three-quarters of its exportable wheat surplus by the end of next year was backed up last week in part by the Dominion Bureau of Statistics estimates that the nation has only 242,000,000 bushels of exportable wheat. The bureau said it believed "Canada will export enough wheat during 1936-1937 to reduce her 1937 carryover to a very modest proportion."

A married couple had engaged a cook. She was very pretty, but her cooking was terrible, and one morning the bacon was burned to such a crisp as to be wholly inedible. "Dear," said the wife to her husband, "I'm afraid the cook has burned the bacon. You'll have to be satisfied with a kine for breakfast this morning." "All right," responded the husband. "Call her in."

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"I guess so," she answered. "He's got his things off."

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RATEPAYERS TO VOTE ON ELECTRIC LIGHT QUESTION ON MONDAY, NOVEMBER 2

Tax Sale of Village Property to be Held on November 24th

INSPECTOR'S REPORT

The regular monthly meeting of the council of the village of Carbon was held in the office of the Secretary-Treasurer on Monday night, October 5th, all councillors being present.

Besides routine business of correspondence and accounts, the new light franchise with the Canadian Utilities was discussed and by-law Number 51 was drawn up calling for a poll to be opened in the Village of Carbon on November 2nd, between 10 o'clock in the forenoon and 7 o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of voting on the new franchise. Mr. Alex Reid was elected as returning officer to take the votes of the Proprietary Electors on this occasion.

It was decided to hold a tax sale of village property this year on November 24th and the necessary motion was made governing the sale.

The report of the Municipal Inspector was read and discussed and as the 1935 report had been mislaid, some of the changes and methods advocated by the department were not made. The inspector again pointed out some of the changes necessary and the secretary to change over to the new ways as soon as possible.

LOCAL TEACHERS ATTEND DRUMHELLER CONVENTION

Teachers of the public school in Carbon are away this week attending the school convention being held in Drumheller this Thursday and Friday and as a result pupils of the lower grades are getting in a couple of extra holidays. Teachers from Carbon attending the convention are: Miss Bell, Mr. Ramsay and Mr. Macdonald.

CANADIAN STAMPS WILL SHOW KING EDWARDS LIKENESS

The likeness of King Edward that has aroused controversy in the United Kingdom will appear on the new issue of Canadian postage stamps, but the reproduction will be made by steel engravings, and not by printing as in the case of the Old Country stamps. In addition Canadian stamps will have some kind of border decoration lacking on those of the United Kingdom. Complete details of the design are not yet available.

Neil Cunningham and J. McCall to return to Rimby on Wednesday.

It's just as well to believe only half of what you hear and then forget half of that.

HAIL STORM SUNDAY

From all appearances we are having a summer weather in October. On Sunday the day was warm and in the morning the sky was clear. However, in the afternoon a quick change appeared and the skies darkened to be followed by thunder and lightning while the south of us about five miles considerable hail fell.

The storm was short-lived, however, and this week we have had warm weather with little frost at night.

LONG YEARS AGO

Thursday, October 6, 1920

Mr. Len Poxon, with a few guests, was at Pine Lake on a duck shooting party.

Harry Evans couldn't stay away from a good town, as we understand he is back to stay. He has resigned as manager of the Merchants Bank at Donnelly. Everybody is glad to see him back in town again.

Joe Skerry has undergone another operation and has been in the hospital in the hope that his arm will be all right afterwards.

Nellie L. McClung of Edmonton, the noteworthy lecturer and author, has been booked to speak in the Farmers Exchange Hall on Sunday, October 17th. She will speak on the prohibition question.

Messrs. C.H. Nash and C.S. Burnett are back in Carbon, having closed their summer resort at Pine Lake.

SURFACING ALBERTA ROADS

Widespread interest has been caused in this province by the announcement of the Public Works Department that new deposits of tar sands have been discovered One is in the Lac la Poudre area, 90 miles west of Edmonton, and the other in the vicinity of Pigeon Lake.

The need of highway surfacing in this province having been advocated for years by the Alberta Motor Association, officials of that organization are delighted with the announcement.

GOOSE HUNTING

(By "Gooseflesh")

I didn't want to but they told me I had to go goose hunting. "It was the sport of kings." "Bringing down a goose! It gets in your blood!" etc.

Well the first thing that got into my blood was the alarm clock at 3:15 a.m. I pulled on my pants, rubbed my eyes. "What's the use of a crazy idea like this?" says I or am I completely sane myself.

I continue on the allotted task. Got dressed in all the old clothing available suitably scattered around the dining room, living room, etc. the night before. Wife gets up as well—can't sleep—as I keep asking where this is and where that is and then I look at the thermometer. It is 18 degrees above zero. Get some hot water for the car. Finally, with many severe observations as to the quality of cars manufactured these days and as to the different kinds of insane persons, with whom I shall be classed, she starts.

Gun? Yes. Shell? Yes. Decoy? Yes. Hot Coffee? Yes—and so on. Pick up a couple of similar imbeciles and we all decide we have ourselves with us and all the necessary impedimenta.

Drive then on a rough road, car in clank, clank, clank, 30 miles and meet some other equally clanked bipeds. Then the conversation brightens a little. "Come on, let's get going!" "What the heck's the idea? We've been too many times for the goose by just standing around." "Those geese will have been and gone by the time we get there." "Let's get to the pits!"

We get into a stubble field and get down in a cold damp pit in the ground and try to look like something the goose will mistake for stubble. Our decoys are placed behind these pits. Most of them look like a large kook with the stomach ache. Nobody knows

BRANCH OF UNITED MINE WORKERS OF AMERICA HAS BEEN FORMED IN CARBON

Mines Workers to Capacity; Extra Shift at Oliphant Mine

OPERATORS SIGN

Following the strike of miners in the valley a week or more ago, members of the United Mine Workers of America held meetings in Carbon and finally succeeded in forming a local union. Under the terms of the union the miners and company men will get a slight increase in wages and we understand that the agreement has been fully discussed and consented to by the nine workers and the local mine operators.

WORLD WHEAT SITUATION AT A GLANCE

World supplies of wheat for the current season, the smallest in a decade. Production, excluding Russia and China, is tentatively placed at about 3,500 million bushels. Actual consumption during the past few years, on the other hand, has averaged 3,800 million bushels. In order to meet normal requirements during the coming year, heavy withdrawals will have to be made from the existing stocks. These are still moderately above the average prior to the record crop of 1928, but were reduced during the past crop year by approximately 220 million bushels. Including stocks carried over, new crops and probable exports from the Soviet Union, total supplies for the coming year may be placed at about 3,550 million bushels. 250 million less than those available last year. The close balance between available supplies this year and ordinary demand is apparent.

Miss Helen Barlow of Drumheller was a Carbon visitor on Saturday.

School Fair Association Has Been Re-organized

THANKSGIVING

Thanksgiving day this year will be observed on Monday, October 12, the date being set by proclamation last July. Light grain crops and corresponding increased prices are expected to boost turkey quotations to the highest point in years.

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

Hoskett, The Carbon Chronicle.

Dear Sir,

Having just returned from Silverton, B.C., the first place in the west that I lived, (arriving there with my brother Harry in 1957) I thought it might interest some of my Carbon friends to know of the conditions out there now.

In those days that community was entirely devoted to silver, lead and gold mining. It harboured a continuous stream of travellers here today and gone tomorrow—a roaring mining camp one might say. There was no school, no church, but thriving hotels, (one of which was owned by my uncle, Grant Thorburn) and another of these was built of logs. There are now two churches, a four roomed school and a fine memorial hall.

My brother Harry was married in 1906, and I left for Carbon in 1912. I stayed with Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Watson, in those days Sam Watson and Alice Clevery. All my old friends made me welcome after an absence of thirty-one years.

Today the mines are mostly owned by companies. The population is now stable, one hotel amply suffices its needs. It is a village of about 500 souls, and much of the surrounding district is devoted to fruit farming—apples, peaches, pears, plums, grapes and other small fruits. The post still comes in for the ore and fruit, but passengers arrive by the daily bus.

The post office is still kept by the same lady, and the store where once I worked is still run by the same man. Many of my old friends are still there. Boys and girls I knew as new school-children. But the deep blue Grand Rapids, the snow-capped mountains are unchanged.

Yours truly,

R. H. THORBURN

GRAVEL RIMMER HILL

The Mortimer hill leading out of town to the south west has received a coat of gravel this week and now coal trucks and other vehicles will have little difficulty in getting out of town in this direction when the weather is wet and the roads slippery.

PREPARE FOR FALL DRIVING

Winter is not far off and in order to have your car in the best of running condition it should be checked over and the oil and grease changed to winter weights. This is important and will save you many dollars in repair bills later.

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GEORGIA GRAGG

CHAPTER VI.—Continued

Advance notices had been plentiful and alluring about the event at which "Play-Girl" was to make her debut. She took off her make-up as it were, and face the world she had feared. She had been living in New York for some time, the newspapers discovered—with the help of Michael Fairbourn in charge of the Tarrance Publishing Company's publicity department—and because she had become the most-talked-of, and up to then, retiring, of all anonymous celebrities. It was fitting that she should come out of that retirement with a flourish of publicity trumpets.

Everybody was curious about "Play-Girl." Some insisted that she would be discovered to be some sex-starved and disappointed old maid who had scathed her reputation through the imagery of her book. Others voted for a blasé divorcee—several were openly mentioned—while still others insisted there was no "Play-Girl" at all (they got it from authentic sources, of course) but that the whole thing was a symposium of collected experiences which had been ghosted by the firm's publicity people. Whatever the case, they were assured, fast and well paid fifty with several quite up and coming granddaughters. It was hard for anyone to believe that there really existed in the flesh any young and beautiful woman who could have aimed as violently as "Play-Girl" and then cold-bloodedly and analytically have written about her experiences, playing with the same skill that a surgeon exhibits in wielding a scalpel.

At all events, it was inevitable that everyone wanted to be among the first to see "Play-Girl" when the Tarrance Company introduced her to eagerly awaiting Londoners.

On the night of Starr's debut, therefore, the grand ball room at Pierre's was crowded. Everybody who was anybody socially, and modern enough to be seen where Starr was seen, was there. Hol pot would get their chairs later, and have an opportunity to chase after her when she went to theatres and night clubs, prancing upon her autograph books as though she were a movie celebrity. In fact, before "Play-Girl" made her appearance, she was more exploited than any cinema star, for while they only portrayed the emotions of stories, "Play-Girl" had lived hers. And still lived to tell the story.

With all the fanfare preceding her, Starr made a poised, effective entrance the night of her debut, descending the steps from the balcony to the ballroom, scarlet-tipped fingers glinting lightly on the arm of Michael Fairbourn.

Her gown was a seductive sheath of clinging black chiffon veiled, daringly cut, a startling contrast to the pale pallor of her face. She had been sitting on one of her low chairs beside an inlaid table where she had had come for her and he had stared. Starr looked how he had, surveying her, recalled how he had, shuddering from her cloud of black hair to the table edge. She had asked him, at the surprised look in his eyes:

—D-didn't you like my frock?

And Michael: "I was just looking for it."

It was that kind of debut frock, a daring modista's triumph.

Her face, with the cannela skin, was as perfect as a cameo carved out of ivory. Her mouth was painted scarlet mine. The long black eyes—so perfect to carry out all those stories about her roving life in the desert—were as deeply mysterious as those of any pictured priestess. And a soft mass of unrestrained, cloudy black curls added an odd native note to a picture of worldly sophistication. The one touch of color was the emerald necklace and bracelet which at a glance appeared of fabulous worth as antiques.

Michael studied at the unexpected debut, but said nothing. Perhaps he had made a mistake in assuming with the girl an air of camaraderie. After all, there was a most meticulous business arrangement.

In short order Starr was introduced

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We want a slogan for Ogilvie Royal Household Flour for the best ones submitted during this contest will award prizes as outlined above. Read the simple contest rules and send in your entry. You may win a valuable cash prize.

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- 1 Use a plain sheet of paper and write out your slogan of not more than 10 words. Write your name and address clearly at the bottom and on the other side of the sheet write the name and address of the store where you purchase your Royal Household Flour.
- 2 You may submit as many slogans as you desire, but with each slogan you must enclose a "Royal Household" cut from the small leaflet in every bag of Royal Household Flour. Or you may send in a reasonably accurate estimate of size.

This is What You Do

Now, write a slogan of not more than ten words relating to Royal Household Flour and good enough to describe this favorite brand. It's easy to do. Here are a few examples: "But by triple test," "A guarantee of uniform flouid results," "You may send in as many slogans as you wish, providing you follow the simple rules below."

3 This contest will close on November 30th, 1936. All entries must be postmarked not later than that date.

4 Address your entry to "The \$1450 Prize Contest, The Ogilvie Flour Mills Co., Limited" and mail it to the nearest Ogilvie office as listed.

5 This contest is restricted to RESIDENTS OF CANADA, ONLY. Employees of The Ogilvie Flour Mills Co., Ltd., and their families are not eligible to compete.

6 In case of a tie the prize money will be equally divided. The committee of judges is composed of three independent, disinterested persons in no way connected with The Ogilvie Flour Mills Company Limited and their decisions will be final. No correspondence will be entered into and all slogans submitted will become the property of The Ogilvie Flour Mills Co., Limited.

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Duplicates Of Crown Jewels

London Firm Busy Filling Orders For Coronation Display

The "crown jewels" of England are coming to America—in cargo lots.

In fact, if the United States decide to enshrine a king any time within the next few months there will be enough glittering crowns on hand to outfit a whole royal family.

With King Edward VIII's coronation set for next May, a London firm is busy turning out duplicates of the famous British crown jewels.

Scores of orders have come from American cities for display in connection with next year's coronation ceremonies, while dozens of others have come from Australia, New Zealand, Canada and South Africa.

Except that the "gem" are glass and the "gold" is imitation, the crowns are identical with the historical jewels which are kept under heavy guard in the Tower of London.

Each set contains five crowns, five scepters, two orbs, two spurs and bracelets of St. George, and other regal paraphernalia including the famed Order of the Garter.

Find Precious Stones

Claims Made That Diamonds And Rubies Can Be Mined In Edmonton Area

Diamonds and rubies can be mined within Edmonton's city limits. This is the belief of Ferdinand Pomahac, a contractor who claims to have found rough crystals he believes stones.

Mr. Pomahac, who has visited diamond fields in South Africa, said the crystals would cut glass in the same manner as a diamond. He displayed a stone which he contends is a genuine ruby and so appraised by an Edmonton jeweler.

Location of the find is withheld by the "city prospector" who maintains he has a valuable find. He intends to acquire rights to the property and develop the mine.

Pomahac made a study of geology in Germany and is convinced he can produce diamonds and rubies in commercial quantities. Part of a financial benefits accruing from the venture will be used to care for sick inmates in Edmonton hospitals, he says.

Taking No Chances

Bookings Being Made On Sister Ship To The Queen Mary

"No. 532," sister-ship to the Queen Mary, may be full up for the maiden voyage before her keel is laid in December.

Scores of her blue-print bedrooms and bathrooms are already booked. Plans in the Cunard-White Star offices show reservations on the non-existent liner, which will not sail until 1940.

Most of the bookings are from people who made frantic last-minute efforts to secure accommodation, at any price, aboard the Queen Mary.

A Cunard-White Star official said to the London Star: "About 50 reservations have already been made, and we are constantly getting inquiries. 'Gone people' want to know if they can safely wait a year or two before they book."

"The first bookings were made immediately it was announced that the government had sanctioned the project to lay the keel, and they were made by people who had missed the Queen Mary's sailing."

Has Had Excellent Care

Every Sunday morning for 27 years—except three days when he was sick—Fred W. Langheim, Menasha, Wis., has spent three hours in the London Star. Langheim, who is a tailor, bought the car in 1909 and paid \$800 for it. He has put nearly 600,000 miles on four speedsters.

Guide: "This is exactly as it was in 1912. When I lived here, I was a Visitor. 'Goodness, isn't the limousine worn well!'"

Little Helps For This Week

The eternal God is thy refuge, and underneath are the everlasting arms. Deut. 33:27.

Within Thy encircling arms we O God, in Thy infinity: Our souls in quiet shall abide, Borne with love by every side.

"The Everlasting Arms." We think of that whenever rest is sweet. How the whole earth and the strength of it is beneath every third creature to give it rest, holding us always. No thought of God is closer than that.

No human tenderness or patience is the gift of that which gathers in its arms a little child and holds it, heedless of weariness. And He fills the great earth and all upon it, with this unseen force of His love that never forgets or exhausts itself, so that everywhere we may lie in His bosom and be comforted.

Made In Canada

Dominion Manufactures Some Of World's Finest Inks

Canada is more responsible than any other country in the Empire for the world's best ink. She is the chief producer of carbon black, one of the principal ingredients of printers' ink. The Chinese ascribe the invention of ink to Tsin Tshen, who lived between 2997 B.C. and 2667 B.C. and it is known that the ancient Egyptians prepared and used ink of a very early date. An Egyptian document—a papyrus—with written characters of the date 2260 B.C. is still in existence. Two thousand years later the emperors of Greece and of Rome were wont to sign their decrees with a flourish in purple ink. Since those days the numbers and kinds of ink have been many, and today some of the finest in the world are manufactured in Canada.

Strange Civic Custom

The strange civic custom of modern times is still practiced in Lhasa, Tibet. The privilege of being mayor of the city for the first 23 days of the year is sold by auction. The highest bidder assumes his mayoral duties, rules the city as he sees fit, and keeps all the money he can raise through additional taxation and fancy dances.

Luxury For Pigs

Cold shower baths have been instituted in what are believed to be the most luxurious pig pens in the world, at Zurich and New South Wales. If the animals are kept cool in hot weather, it has been found they fatten better.

Sunlight is about 618,000 times as bright as the light of a full moon.

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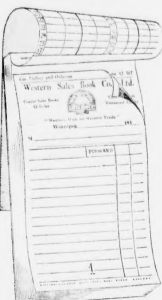
Paraguay is thought to have the only species of liquor-producing palm tree. The Guatiano Indians tap the tree for sap, which ferments in a short time and turns into a highly intoxicating beverage. 2170

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TOWN & COUNTRY

Personalographs

Mr. and Mrs. A. Wilson and family
opened Sunday in Carbon visiting with
Mr. and Mrs. H.C. Wilson.

Mr. and Mrs. H.N. Elliott and Mr.
and Mrs. W. Poxon spent a few days
this week touring the north country.

The Lady Roberts Chapter I.O.E.F.
held their first meeting of the season
on Monday evening at the home of
Miss Caroline Wright.

Mr. C.I. MacGregor and Malcolm
spent Saturday in Calgary.

Mr. McDannold took a car load of
C.G.L.T. girls and their leaders to the
C.G.L.T. rally which was held in
Saskatoon on Wednesday.

"Shorty" Battum, service man for
the Canadian Indians in charge of this
district, has been transferred to
Castor and took over his new duties
the first of the month.

FOR SALE—At Big reduction, 1936
Plymouth Sedan with small mileage.
Purchased in July.—Andy Buyer,
Carbon, Alberta.

Mr. and Mrs. S.J. Garrett and Mr.
and Mrs. H.N. Elliott were Sunday
visitors in Drumheller with Mr. and
Mrs. W. Poxon.

Rev. Wm. McNichol, Len Poxon,
Jas. Flaws and E. Rouleau returned
on Thursday last from a goose hunt
and were successful in getting eleven
geese.

Dr. J.S. Barrill, dentist, of Three
Hills was in town on Tuesday night
and expects to spend one day in town
in Carbon, possibly Monday, for the

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method which has been so far devised to
protect the farmer and to ensure low land-
ing charges. It is not used by either the Pools
or the other elevator companies for the
purpose of profit.

The Pooling method, which is the only
other method which has been tried to date
in Canada, cost the West many millions of
dollars. It is no longer seriously advocated,
even by those who invented it. If in the
future any organization, commission or
government can evolve a system of market-
ing Canada's crop which will consistently
return to the farmer even a fraction of a cent
more than he obtains through the present
methods, the line elevator companies will be
the first to endorse and adopt such a system.
At the present time all elevator companies
(including the Pools) market grain in exactly
the same way because it is the best and
cheapest way which has yet been devised.

Fair competition is the farmers' safeguard.

Propaganda by the Pools, through the
Western Producer, country newspapers and
field meetings, attacking the elevator com-
panies because of marketing methods which
the Pools themselves adopt, is untrue and
hypocritical and merely designed to abate
the competition which is the farmers' best
protection.

The North-West Grain Dealers' Association
WESTERN GRAIN DEALERS' ASSOCIATION

Snicklefritz----



A car owner was having his eyes
tested for a driver's license. Pointing
to a chart on the wall the examiner
asked the man to identify the thing he
saw. "What is in the large circle
in the centre?" he asked. "That is a
figure 18," the man replied. "Wrong
said the examiner. "That is a picture
of May West talking to Katherine
Heppner."

"My ambition is to be a great doc-
tor. I want to become a horse special-
ist."

"Well, you have a good head for it."

Len—"Clark calls himself a human
dynamo."

Dun—"Well, why shouldn't he? Ev-
erything he has on is charged."

The list of prize winners at a recent
picnic read:

"Mrs. Smith won the ladies' rolling
pin throwing contest by hurling a pin
seventy-five feet."

"Mr. Smith won the hundred yard
dash."

Farmer—"Gosh, you must be brave
to come down with a parachute in a
gale like that!"

Stranger—"I didn't come down with
a parachute—I went up with a tent."

He—"Every time I dance with you,
the dance seems extremely short."

She—"It is. My husband is the or-
chestra leader."

Tenant—"The roof is so bad that
the rain comes in on my head how
long is this going to continue?"

Landlord—"What do you think I am,
a weather prophet?"

"How do you get along in such
small quarters?"

"Oh, nicely. You see, I live on con-
densed milk and shortbread."

Jim—"I've been thinking it over,
dear, and have decided to agree with
you."

Her—"It won't do you any good—I
've changed my mind."

Jim—"Are you making any pro-
gress in your new job?"

Her—"No. The boss hasn't com-
plimented me on anything yet—except
my work."

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the act."

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There Are Differences

Is there any difference between Pool elevators and line
elevator companies? The latter seem anxious to prove that both are
the same, but there are several essential differences.

1. Alberta Pool Elevators are the property of 45,000 Alberta
grain producers. They are built for service and not for profit. This
is not the case with line elevator companies.

2. The finances and operations of Pool elevators are an open
book. Each year they are scrutinized by seventy delegates who are
representatives of the producers. The detailed operations of the
whole system and of each and every Pool elevator are thus ob-
tainable from elected delegates. Is there one line elevator company
who will provide customers with such information?

3. The Pools use the grain exchange. But this does not imply
an idolatrous attitude towards that organization. The Pools believe
that the demonstrated weakness of the speculative system during the
depression had a serious reflection in the collapse of agricul-
ture, and that a national wheat board would have offered greater
protection. The line elevator companies are not in favor of a na-
tional wheat board and never were. John I. McFarland, who con-
ducted stabilization of wheat prices for five years, testified:
"Theoretically the open futures system is an ideal system for the
handling of wheat, if it works; but when it fails to function, as it
has failed, because of world-wide subsidies, over-supply and ab-
sence of speculators to carry the hedges, then my sympathy
leans entirely toward the producer and his protection."

4. The Pools believe the Canadian wheat producers should be
given assistance and protection to save a decree at least
on other interests in Canada. The Pools maintain that agriculture
is Canada's most important industry and cannot be neglected. The
grain trade, on the other hand, continually campaigned for mar-
keting Canada's wheat at "world prices."

5. The grain trade says that the Pools' operations cost millions.
That is a pure fabrication. Under the McFarland stabilization op-
erations Canadian farmers produced, and marketed the surplus
of wheat crops totaling more than one billion bushels, and Cana-
dian prices were maintained at a substantially higher level than
those of competing countries. For months the Canadian overruns
ran as high as 25¢ a bushel over prices of competitive wheat.

6. The Pools believe that agriculture needs an aggressive co-
operative organization, supporting its interests and reflecting the
expressed wishes of producers and not subservient to vested in-
terests. The line elevator companies ARE vested interests.

7. The line elevator companies' recent belief demonstrated as a
"public compact" but the very advertisement denying this re-
flection was a joint affair and tends to substantiate the statement.

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